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New Hampshire:

Appropriation for State sanatorium to take effect May, 1907.

New Jersey:

State sanatorium, Glen Gardner.

New Mexico:

Sanatorium for Consumptive Seamen, U. S. Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service, Fort Stanton.

U. S. Army General Hospital, Fort Bayard.

New York:

State hospital for insane, special ward for tuberculosis, Binghamton.

Buffalo State Hospital, tuberculosis ward, Buffalo.

State Hospital for Incipient Tuberculosis, Raybrook.

Special wards for tuberculous prisoners, Clinton Prison, at the Dannemora State Hospital, Dannemora.

Manhattan State Hospital, special tuberculosis wards, Wards Island.

Willard State Hospital, special wards for tuberculosis, Willard.

Ohio:

Tuberculosis camp, Columbus State Hospital, Columbus.

Appropriation for State sanatorium, Mount Vernon.

Rhode Island:

State sanatorium, Pascoag.

Tuberculosis division, State almshouse, Howard.

Tuberculosis division, State hospital for insane, Howard.

South Carolina:

Separate building for tuberculous prisoners, State penitentiary, Columbia.

Vermont:

Ward for tuberculous patients, Vermont State Hospital for Insane, Waterbury.

Vermont sanatorium, in process of construction, Pittsford.

Virginia:

Camp for tuberculous patients, central State hospital, Petersburg.

Wisconsin:

Appropriation for State tuberculosis sanatorium, Wales.

STATE COMMISSIONS.

The legislatures in a number of the States have, within the past five years, provided for the creation of State commissions for the purpose of making an investigation as to the extent of tuberculosis within the State and the best means of prevention and treatment, especially with reference to the establishment of sanatoria. The following is a list of these States: Indiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Ohio, Rhode Island, Vermont, and Wisconsin.

By provisions of chapter 162, of the laws of the thirtieth general assembly, the board of control of State institutions in the State of Iowa was also authorized to investigate the extent of tuberculosis in that State and the best means of prevention and treatment of the disease.

[Reports to the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service.]

Report from Boston, Mass.—Scarlet fever.

Surgeon Woodward forwards, under date of February 13, the following information received February 12, from the health officer at Boston:

Month of January, 1907. Number of cases of scarlet fever reported, 519; deaths, 3. From January 1 to 8, inclusive, the number of cases reported was 48, the largest number reported on one day being 9. On January 9 the number rose to 37. On January 10 it reached 78, and on the two days following was 64 and 54, respectively. This sudden increase in the number of cases on January 9 occurred in several neighboring cities. The cause of the increase has not yet been determined.